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Applicant files this Response to a Notification of Missing Requirements (Form PCT/DO/EO/905 (371 Formalities Notice)), within the two-month period set to expire on May 15, 2006. The notice (copy enclosed) indicates that the application was filed without the signed oath or declaration.

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced application is an authorization for payment of the surcharge and Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in response to the missing requirements request.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge a total of \$ 65.00 as payment of the surcharge associated with this Communication and Response, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 20-0782/BRYN/0009/WBP.

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/05/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/05/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 12/05/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 12/05/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 12/05/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 12/05/2005
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 12/05/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/05/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 12/05/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

• \$65 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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